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# SOCIETY FOR ANCIENT GREEK PHILOSOPHY

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## NEWSLETTER 1994/95.1 (November)

You are invited to attend the meeting of the Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy with the Eastern Division of the American Philosophical Association Wednesday, December 28, 1994, 5:15-7:15 p.m. at the Boston Marriott Hotel, Copley Place.

### *Aristotle's Metaphysics*

Chair: William Wians, *Boston University*  
Sarah Broadie, *Princeton University*, "What Does Aristotle's Prime Mover Do?"  
Mark Wheeler, *University of Rochester*, "The Parts of Definitions, Unity and Sameness in Aristotle's *Metaphysics*."

You are also invited to attend the meeting of the Society with the American Philological Association on Friday, December 30, 1994, at 8:30 a.m. in the Atlanta Hilton.

Chair: Thomas M. Robinson, *University of Toronto* (President, SAGP)  
John Thorp, *University of Western Ontario*: "Sex and Mysticism in Plato"  
Richard Bodéüs, *Université de Montreal*: "Being According to Aristotle's *Metaphysics* Delta 7"

These papers are (or should be) included with this Newsletter for those who have paid dues for the 1994/5 academic year. Papers for Pacific Division and Central Division meetings (speakers: Lynn Holt, Paul Schollmeier, Daryl Tress, May Sim) will be distributed in due time, again to dues-payers.

### DUES

Dues are \$7.50 per year US; \$10 Canadian. Make out your check to SAGP. We honor multi-year dues payments. If you have not yet sent your dues for the 94/5 academic year, we urge you to send your check now. It costs us more to mail out "back issue" papers than to mail them in the bulk mailing.

If you are paid up on your dues, the number 94/5, a higher number (including number beginning with "0") appears on the label. If you have any other notation and you want to be sure to continue to receive the newsletters, please be sure to send your dues now!

### SAGP Speaker Policy

The Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy, founded in 1953, sponsors sessions with the annual meetings of the American Philological Association and with the Eastern, Central, and Pacific Divisions of the American Philosophical Association. In addition, SAGP has since 1980 helped to organize a joint meeting with the Society for the Study of Islamic Philosophy and Science and several other groups. Members and

potential members of the Society are invited to submit abstracts or papers for any or all of these meetings. At each meeting with the American Philological Association or with a division of the American Philosophical Association at least one of the papers is normally selected from those submitted to the Program Committee. Occasionally the SAGP is invited to put together panels for other meetings (e.g., World Congress of Philosophy); an attempt will be made to include submitted papers in such panels as well. Most of the papers presented at the annual meeting with SSIPS are submitted rather than invited.

#### Procedure

Those wishing to present a paper at any meeting of the SAGP are requested to send an abstract (or paper) to A. Preus, Secretary SAGP, c/o Philosophy, Binghamton University, 13902-6000 or to [apreus@bingvmb.bitnet](mailto:apreus@bingvmb.bitnet), fax 607-777-2280. Submitters should include their name and address directly below the title of the paper on a separate title page, and nowhere else; that will allow for anonymous review by the Program Committee. Submitters should also include a cover letter indicating at which meeting(s) of the Society they would like (be willing) to present the paper. Deadlines for receipt in Binghamton are as follows:

January 1 for Philology meeting subsequent December (seven copies requested).

February 1 for Eastern Division meeting subsequent December (seven copies requested).

June 1 to be included in the distributed October SSIPS program (one copy is sufficient).

September 1 for Pacific and Central Division subsequent Spring (seven copies requested).

These deadlines reflect the necessity for a month turnaround to the Program Committee and a month to put the program together. Submitters should expect a response about six weeks after each of the deadline dates.

The Program Committee currently consists of The President and Secretary, ex officio, John Anton, W. W. Fortenbaugh, Julius Moravcsik, Joseph Owens, Robert Turnbull.

#### Call for Papers

In accordance with the policy enunciated above, the Society calls for the submission of paper or abstract for the meeting with the American Philological Association. Our relationship with the American Philological Association has been somewhat rocky lately; we cannot guarantee that we will be permitted to meet with that Association in 1995, but we would like to submit a program and see what happens. We have to have paper or abstract by January 1, because their deadline is early in March.

The Society also invites paper or abstract for its meeting with the Eastern Division of the American Philosophical Association. February 1 is the deadline.

#### SAGP/SSIPS: Call for Papers

The 14th Annual SAGP/SSIPS conference will be held in Binghamton on October 20, 21, 22, 1995. Papers in any area of ancient or medieval philosophy are welcome. Abstracts or papers on ancient philosophy should be sent to A. Preus at Binghamton University; papers on non-ancient topics should be sent to P. Morewedge, IGCS, Binghamton University. Please include your address both for the summer months and for the fall semester with your abstract. We would like to have notice of *panels* to be submitted by *March 1*; the deadline for submission of abstracts of papers is *June 1*.

#### THE JOURNAL OF NEOPLATONIC STUDIES

The *Journal of Neoplatonic Studies* Volumes 1 & 2 have been published and are available. Volume 3.1 should be ready some time in January. Subscriptions are a very reasonable \$15 per year (two issues); write your check to "JNS" and send it to A. Preus, Philosophy, Binghamton University, 13902-6000. Please

specify the year(s) for which you are subscribing.

Submissions of papers: two copies (and if possible a diskette in a DOS program-- WP5.1, Word for Windows, or ASCII) to James T. H. Martin, Philosophy, St. John's U., Jamaica, NY 11439. Books for Review: Doug Lackey, Philosophy, Baruch College CUNY, 17 Lexington Ave., New York, NY 10010; Advertisements and Announcements: P. Morewedge, IGCS, Binghamton University, 13902.

#### International Society for Neoplatonic Studies

Established in 1973, ISNS is an interdisciplinary association of scholars interested in promoting the study of Neoplatonism. It sponsors sessions in conjunction with several other groups, world congresses of its own, and a book series, as well as JNS. Persons interested in joining the US section should contact Michael Wagner, Philosophy, U. of San Diego, San Diego, CA 92110. Others should contact the director of the international society: R. Baine Harris, Philosophy, Old Dominion U., Norfolk, VA 23529-0082.

#### Seventeenth Annual Boston Area Colloquium on Ancient Philosophy

(Remaining events:)

12/1/94: James Allen, "The Development of Aristotle's Logic" at Harvard

2/16/95: James Lennox, "Formal and Material Natures in Aristotle's *Parts of Animals*" at BC

3/2/95: Charlotte Witt, "Aristotle and the Megarians" at Brown

3/23/95: Richard McKirahan, "The Science of Metaphysics: Aristotle's *Metaphysics* from the Perspective of the *Posterior Analytics*" at Holy Cross

4/6/95: Christopher Shields, "Aristotelian Intentionality" at Clark

For additional information contact Bill Wians at 617-793-2468.

#### Mysticism, Rationalism & Empiricism In the Neoplatonic Tradition

July 9-16, 1995 in Maynooth, Ireland. This conference will form part of the celebration marking the bicentenary of St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, founded in 1795. St. Patrick's College is about 25 kilometers west of Dublin. Room and board at very reasonable rates will be available on campus for all participants from outside the Dublin area. A nominal conference fee will be charged and participants will be expected to pay their own travel expenses. Contact John J. Cleary or Kieran McGroarty at St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, Co Kildare, Ireland.

#### International Plato Society

The next conference, on the *Timaeus*, will be held in August 1995 at Granada, Spain; the 1998 conference will be held in Toronto. Charles Kahn, U. of Penn., is the North American representative until 1995; all North American inquiries concerning the Society, including membership, should be sent to him at 3440 Market Street, Suite 460, Philadelphia PA 19104. Fax 215-573-2096.

#### Ancient Greeks and the Environment

Laura Westra is planning a volume of essays dealing with how the Greeks viewed the environment, and the relevance of those views to contemporary concerns. Most contributions to the volume have already been selected, but two or three more could be accommodated. Anyone interested in contributing is invited to contact Prof. Westra at the Department of Philosophy, University of Windsor, Windsor, Ontario, Canada, as soon as possible.

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